SCDHEC OFFICE OF OCEAN AND COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PERMIT APPLICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

June 23, 2006

Permit Number:

OCRM-06-912

Permit ID:

55097

The SCDHEC Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management has received an application for a permit for the alteration of a critical area. This application was submitted pursuant to the Coastal Zone Management Act (Act 123) of the 1977 South Carolina General Assembly. The application, in brief, is described as follows:

APPLICANT:

John L Ballantyne

229 Dataw Drive

St Helena Island SC 29920

LOCATION:

On and adjacent to Chowan Creek at 150 Distant Island Dr, Ladys Island, Beaufort County,

South Carolina.

TMS# R200-018-00A-0093-0000.

WORK:

The work as proposed consists of constructing a private dock and timber bulkhead. The proposed structure will have a 4'x112'walkway with handrails leading to a 16'x16' covered fixed pierhead. To the right of the pierhead will be a 4'x24' ramp leading to a 12'x24' floating dock. The purpose for the dock is for the owner's private recreational use. Also, proposed is a timber bulkhead 6' high by 165' long and placed along an eroding shoreline. The purpose for

the bulkhead is for erosion control.

This public notice is being distributed to all known interested persons and agencies to assist in developing facts on which a decision by OCRM can be based. Comments concerning the proposed work should be submitted in writing, setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition.

The decision to issue or deny a permit will be based on the individual merits of the application, the policies specified in the South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Act, and the considerations outlined in the State of South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Program. Interested parties who wish to be notified of final permit action must notify OCRM in writing of this request.

To assure review by OCRM, comments regarding this application must be received by OCRM on or before July 8, 2006.

PLEASE REPLY TO:

SCDHEC OFFICE OF OCEAN AND COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT 104 Parker Drive Beaufort, South Carolina 29906

Please refer to P/N# OCRM-06-912

C. W. "Rocky" Browder, III, Regional Permit Administrator



